

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On Page 4, Paragraph 7:

According to the present invention, the first and second conductor ~~portion~~ portions can more surely guide the edge of the card to the housing space.

On Page 5, Paragraph 1:

(5) The connector described in (4), further comprising another second conductor portion disposed along another second side face of said housing space, said another second side face being opposite to the second side face, wherein said card is substantially rectangular and said ~~first and~~ second conductor portions are symmetrically disposed about the direction of inserting said card.

On Page 5, Paragraph 2:

According to the present invention, the card can be held between the ~~first~~ second conductor portion and ~~the~~ said another second conductor portion. Therefore, reduction of the size of the connector can be accomplished.

On Page 5, Paragraph 3:

(6) The connector described in (5), wherein each of said ~~first and second~~ conductor portions has a flexible portion elastically deformable outside and a lock piece disposed along said flexible portion for covering a portion of a face of said housing space for being inserted said card; whereby said lock pieces is pushed by said card to open outside when said card is inserted into said housing space, and said lock pieces lock said card when said card is housed in said housing space.

On Page 10, Paragraph 1:

The number of the contacts 30 is thirteen and the contacts 30 are formed of a metal. Each contact 30 has a buried portion 33 (indicated by dash line in Fig. 3) buried in the housing 10, a lead wire connection portion ~~33-31~~ 33-31 formed at one

end of the buried portion 33 and capable of connecting a lead wire, and a card connection portion 32 formed at the other end of the buried portion 33 and capable of connecting the card under inserted state.